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## WOMAN'S WORLD.

GRACE DODGE'S STORY ABOUT THE HELPED AND THE HELPERS.

To Honor Mrs. Harrison—Widening the Sphere—The Blaine Household—Mrs. Cleveland's Shawl—Women Domestic—New York Women—A Banker's Bill Defeat.

Addressing a company of persons interested in philanthropic effort the other day in Buffalo, Miss Grace Dodge spoke of a principle that is coming more and more into these discussions—the need for the helped and the helpers to understand each other.

"I do not wonder," said Miss Dodge, "that the working women often resent the interference of the persons who come among them, and while yet holding themselves aloof express a desire to help them. These persons never seem to consider that they may gain good as well as do good in these cases. They think that all the help comes from them, and they resent the idea that they might be in any way benefited by contact with the working women as well as the working women by contact with them. Yet until the spirit of mutual helpfulness is engendered there can be no true sympathy between them."

"I once read a funny account of a society which the women of the back alley formed to relieve the distress of the women of the avenue, which serves as an illustration of this point. The women of the back alley came together and decided to help the poor society women who lived on the avenue. It was called the Needle's Eye society, on account of the Scriptural allusion to the camel and the needle's eye. They planned to visit them in their homes and talk with them and do all in their power to make them happier than they were. So one timid little back alley woman started out one morning and rang the bell of a large mansion on the avenue. She asked for the mistress and was shown in. The lady of the house appeared and the little woman began to ask the regulation questions: 'How many children have you?' 'Is your husband living?' 'What does he do?' Then she went on: 'You women of the avenue must be very unhappy. You never have your children with you as we do, as you must turn them over to your servants, and, then, do you not find the care of so many servants very trying? Your social duties, too, must be a great strain on you, and we want to help you. We want to show you how to live more as we do, so that you may be happier.' But the mistress of the mansion thought only that the little woman was crazy and ordered a servant to remove her. Just then the good bishop came in, and he sympathized with the mistress of the mansion who had received a visit from a crazy woman, and yet five minutes later he was advising the mistress to go down and visit the women of the back alley and to give them advice and help."

Only once has the American woman been so honored by the government as to have her portrait handed down to posterity on official issues, in the case of Martha Washington, whose head adorns the \$1 bill. But there is a movement on foot among the national officers of the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution to try to secure public recognition of their first president general, the late Mrs. Caroline Scott Harrison, wife of ex-President Benjamin Harrison, by placing her portrait upon a new postage stamp.

The idea originated in the fertile brain of a "Daughter," who straightway talked the matter over with her patriotic colleagues, with the outcome that the proposition was laid before the board of management of the national society. These ladies in turn weighed the pros and cons and decided that it would be an appropriate way to respect the memory of a woman eminent for her patriotism. The national board then put the idea in correct form and presented the subject to ex-President Harrison and his family in order to first gain their assent to the proposition before taking any further steps.

The ex-president is now considering the matter, and should he return a favorable answer the "Daughters," through the national board, will proceed to lay the subject before the postoffice department, as the postmaster general would be the official to take the decisive step.

The inception of the whole idea probably came through the masterpiece in portraiture of Mrs. Harrison, painted by Daniel Huntington, president of the National Academy of Design, which portrait was unveiled by the "Daughters" at their continental congress lately held in Washington. The picture now hangs in the executive mansion.

There is still pending in the United States congress a bill for enlarging the White House by a plan originated by Mrs. Harrison.—New York Herald.

Widening the Sphere.

Women are now taking the place of men in many departments of business. They are taking the places of their fathers and brothers as ticket agents. They are supplanting men as stenographers, typewriters and private secretaries, and the tendency is to reduce the staff of male clerks to the smallest possible number and to hire women instead.

Even in newspaper offices women are crowding the men out in some departments of work. In art they are making rapid strides to the front. Of the five prizes awarded to painters of pictures at the present exhibition at the National Academy of Design three have been taken by women, a remarkable achievement when it is recalled that over 400 paintings are on exhibition. The active movement now in progress to secure for the woman the constitutional convention, which is to meet in May, an amendment to the constitution guaranteeing to women political equality with men is also a subject of much discussion just now. It is not strange, therefore, that the

pulpit orators are making women the theme of special sermons. Mrs. Julia K. West is now school commissioner of Staten Island, in full control of the public schools of Richmond county and in receipt of a salary of \$1,600 a year. She was elected at the November election, but her opponent, Mr. Hubbard R. Yetman, was declared elected by a majority of four votes. Mrs. West made a contest, and Judge Gaynor of the supreme court has just decided in her favor. She has taken the oath of office and proposes to purge the schools of all politics.—New York Letter.

The Blaine Household.

Mrs. Blaine is working steadily upon the life of her husband. The family have been living very quietly in the famous old red house on Lafayette square during the winter, and all of them have been doing literary work. Mrs. Blaine is to do more than to collect the material for Gail Hamilton to write. Mrs. Blaine is a literary woman herself, and the two women will collaborate. The son and the daughter are helping to get up the material, although Miss Blaine will soon be called away from her literary duties to get married to Mr. Truxton Reale. It is understood that this wedding will not be long delayed. It will be a quiet and home wedding, witnessed by a family party and intimate friends, and these will include the Sherman, Cameron, Lodge, Hitt and Hale families, and that is about all. In connection with the Blaines an interesting thing is their love for flowers. A florist who has had the greatest part of the Washington fashionable trade for nearly half a century says that in the last 20 years no family in this city has brought so much money into his establishment as the Blaines. They never make any display in this direction, but thousands of dollars' worth of flowers have been sent to them.—Washington Letter in Boston Advertiser.

Mrs. Cleveland's Dainty Shawl.

Mrs. Cleveland gave a special reception in Washington recently to Messrs. Pogorsky, manager of the New York branch of the Russian cottage industries. A handsome Orenburg shawl was presented to Mrs. Cleveland. These shawls are made of goat's down, a preparation of the wool of a special goat, once brought from Tibet, but now domesticated in Russia.

The preparation of the wool is all done by women. It is spun into a very fine thread, and this thread is knitted on needles to form a large shawl. A Russian lady spent one year in knitting such a shawl as the one presented to Mrs. Cleveland, which is so fine that it will go through a wedding ring.

Mme. Pogorsky explained the presentation by giving a short account of what noble Russian women were doing for the Russian peasant women and children, and that Mme. Douriver wished Mrs. Cleveland to awaken American sympathy by wearing this shawl knitted for her especially.

The Russian government has devoted some money to the support of the Russian cottage industries, as it recognizes the importance of opening in America a market for the work of the Russian peasant women and children.—Washington Letter.

Women Domestic.

Statistics show that of the 1,836,288 women engaged in paid occupations in 1870 nearly one-half were domestic servants. By the census of 1880, when the number of working women in the United States had increased to 2,647,157, only one-third were found in domestic service. It is not yet known what proportion of the present number of working women are employed as household servants, as the figures of the last census are not yet to hand. The reasons for this decrease in the number of household servants is supposed to be due to the shorter working hours, the companionship, the Sunday holiday and the greater freedom outside of working hours that are to be had in other employments.

The greater remuneration given to the average girl in a factory or a retail store cannot be an element in her preference, as statistics show the average wages per week for this class of labor to be \$5.68, with an average outlay of \$5.50. Though the income of the household servant is smaller, her outlay is also very small. Her station in life will probably leave her with more money at the end of the year than can be accumulated by the average schoolteacher.—New York Post.

New York Women.

The New York correspondent of the Boston Transcript mentions the suffrage campaign in that state and says, speaking of the petition to be presented to the constitutional convention: "The significance of the petition lies, however, chiefly in the support that it is finding in some measure among women who are not habitually 'advanced,' who are in



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no wise excited over 'woman' and whose indifference to an extension of suffrage has been the familiar argument of its opponents. Meetings in behalf of the petition have been quietly held of late in houses in the prosperous avenues up town, to the surprise of some of the men who have learned of them. Women have attended them who help to make what- ever of cultivated society New York contains. Some of the offending males who scoff at the agitators respect these women, and their interest and support of the present petition has done more, as it seems to me, for the cause than a hundred meetings. In this sympathy advance toward a wider suffrage in New York seems most evident."

## LOCAL MENTION.

Advance car No. 1 of Ringling Bros. circus, is in Topeka today.

The Rock Island office have received a photograph of the dead Pond Creek outlaws.

John Lee has returned from St. Louis and will soon go to work in the Santa Fe shops, as a boilermaker.

At a special meeting of the Potwin city council last night Halleck Hill was nominated and confirmed as street commissioner and city marshal.

Arlie, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nordstrom, died yesterday. The funeral will take place from the family residence, 188 Emmet street, tomorrow.

A new time card will go into effect on the Rock Island's entire system west of the Missouri river on Sunday, April 29. No radical changes will be made on this division.

Duncan McPhail was brought to the state insane asylum yesterday. He has been a prominent campaign speaker for the People's party. He is melancholy and fears were entertained that he would take his life.

Thomas Riley, charged with grand larceny, is on his preliminary examination before Justice Chesney today. Riley is charged with burglarizing Ferguson's drygoods store, below the Shawnee mills, and carrying off two large bolts of cloth valued at \$25.

Mrs. Aus H. Piety and son Roscoe are in Chicago, attending the funeral of Mrs. Piety's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howe, who died last November. Mr. and Mrs. Howe's remains being lying in the receiving vault at Forest cemetery, in Chicago, since their death.

A patient by the name of Klay, at the state insane asylum, was taken ill with measles Thursday, but was removed to the North Topeka insane asylum, where he will be kept till he recovers. It is thought that owing to his quick removal the disease will not spread.

A SUIT AGAINST STEELE.

The Police Sergeant Prosecuted on a Claim for Damages.

The case of Mary Marshall against Sergeant Henry Steele and John Dagg for damages for searching her home is on trial in the district court today.

Mary Marshall is a colored woman who was arrested last fall for robbing a drummer in front of the Throop hotel. The girl asked the drummer for five cents with which to ride home, as there were holes in her shoes and the ground was damp. The drummer took out his purse and it is charged that the Marshall woman grabbed it and ran. The police searched her and her house without finding the money. She was arrested, but the drummer refused to prosecute her. It was then that the Marshall woman brought suit for damages.

STEELE WASN'T DRUNK.

The Attempt to Prove That He Was Has Been Abandoned.

The attempt to prove the charge of drunkenness against Sergeant Steele of the police force has been abandoned. Steele was suspended pending an investigation of the charges and the trial of the parties making the complaint in police court this morning was really the trial of Steele. Police Commissioners Krauss and Yount were in the court room and listened to the testimony.

The case occupied all forenoon and is not being argued. There is conflicting evidence concerning the condition of the men arrested but there is little doubt but that Steele will be reinstated as a result of the trial.

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ABOUT BILL DALTON. U. S. Marshals are Certain He Is Killed, But Can't Prove It.

PERRY, O. T., April 21.—The latest news from the battle between the Dalton gang and the posse of deputy United States marshals is not as bad as the first. A messenger named Case arrived today from the vicinity of the Twin mountains and reports a fight, but the fatalities were not so numerous as at first reported.

It seems that Bruce Miller has been harboring the Daltons of late, and that the Daltons spent Sunday night at Miller's. The posse of deputies surrounded the house Monday morning. Bruce Miller, his brother, his wife and daughter and a hired man were there, but the Daltons had left only twenty minutes before.

James Dunn's place was next visited by the marshal's posse, and there the gang was found. A battle took place Wednesday night, and the marshals think Bill Dalton and Bill Doolan were both killed, but the darkness prevented them from learning this to a certainty. The marshals are certain that some of the band were killed and a number wounded.

The Evening Times here has information that both Bill Dalton and Bill Doolan were killed and borne off by their comrades, but this cannot be verified to-night. The latest reports say that Heck Thomas of this city, one of the bravest men in the territory, was also killed.

SENATE WIND ENGINES. A Proposition for the Elimination of Washington, April 21.—The proposition submitted by Senator Gray of Delaware for changing the rules of the senate providing that no senator shall read a speech or read exclusively from books or papers, is intended more especially to cut off speeches which are supposed to be made for the express purpose of killing time.

This matter was under discussion during the extra session when the silver debate was on, the question being whether a senator could have a document read at the clerk's desk.

In the course of the debate Senator Teller said that the reading of speeches was a practice that had grown up of late years and was not contemplated when the senate rules allowing entire freedom of debate were first inaugurated.

The object in preventing the reading of speeches in this way is that while a senator may be content to read for hours without a single senator listening and not more than two or three in the chamber he would probably not be disposed to talk to the same kind of an audience and it is further believed there would be very much less speech making.

RECOVERS HER DIAMONDS. Andrew Walker Finds Mrs. Howe's \$500 Diamond Cross.

Mrs. J. P. Howe has recovered her \$500 diamond cross which she lost on the street April 4th.

The loss of the pin was advertised in all the papers and a reward was offered for its recovery, but it was not recovered until last evening. Through Mrs. Dr. Ashmore, of North Topeka, Mr. Howe learned that the pin had been seen in the possession of Andrew Walker, a colored man.

Mr. Howe in company with a police man, called on Walker last night and recovered the lost valuable. The colored man said he found it near the corner of Eighth and Topeka avenue, but did not know whose it was, as he does not take a newspaper. He had been offered \$15 for the pin by a jeweler, but did not sell it, because he thought it was worth \$25. Mr. Howe says the pin is worth not less than \$500.

Cholera Again. VIENNA, April 21.—It is announced that several cases of Asiatic cholera have been discovered in Hosiutin, a town of Austrian Galicia.

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COMING BY HORTON. Rock Island Trains Coming Through Kansas Instead of Via Omaha.

Owing to the industrial army now at Council Bluffs, Rock Island trains Nos. 5 and 6, which run between Chicago and Denver, will be sent by way of St. Joseph and Horton for a few days, making their first trip that way today. These trains are regular through Omaha, and the change has been made by the officials of the road temporarily to avoid delay at the hands of Kelly's army and its sympathizers.

The trains will run regularly through Omaha again in a few days.

Rebecca Chapter, Eastern Star, has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Royal Matron, Sister M. E. Langston; Royal Patron, Bro. T. Bird; Royal Associate Matron, Sister Lena Hawkins; Treasurer, Sister Mattie Fryer; Conductress, Sister Sallie Slaughter; Associate Conductress, Sister Dora Ethery. Installation Tuesday night.

Burned in a Hotel. OMAHA, April 21.—Lena's hotel at South Omaha was burned early this morning. J. E. Smith, of California Junction, Iowa, was burned to death, and C. L. Moline, of Cresco, Neb., jumped from a third story window and broke his legs. All the other inmates of the hotel escaped.